the Anglo-Indian Home of Kings, where from the uttermost parts of the earth royalties do congregate and sovereigns do holiday make, and princesses and duchesses are of small account.

The hotel was for once filled with soldiers instead of sightseers, of bronzed and deter-mined looking men in sun helmets instead of mannikins with Murray's Guides and curls, who explained they had never done a day's work to keep a better man out, and whose mammas paid them £3000 a Year to keep away from home, for it was the time of the tardy unveiling of a monument to John Nicholson, and from every part of India officers of each regiment he had led from the Ridge to death or glory were present that day.

The Bayard of India stood in his accus-tomed attitude and in his old-time garb facing the Kashmir Gate, veiled only by the flag he died for, held equally by a white soldier and a dusky Sepoy, immovable on each side as " Nikkleseyn " himself. A majestic sight, and

the red and white and yellow roses of the garden breathed out their gladdest perfumes on the quivering afternoon heat, and the